# ENGLISH LANGUAGE (Ist Year of Study, Ist and 2nd Semesters)

Credit value (ECTS) 2+2

### **Course category**

Elective

### **Course holder:**

Assist. Prof. PhD Olga PÂNZARU

### Discipline objectives (course and tutorial classes)

The main objective of discipline: learning English for Specific Purposes as a tool for the communication, information and professional documentation

Specific objectives: developing skills of understanding and producing language specific messages; update of linguistic and cultural knowledge, with adaptation to specific purposes; gradual acquisition of specialized vocabulary belonging to specialized speech for later use in professional and scientific activity; improving oral and written communication skills targeting professional and scientific work.

### **Contents (syllabus)**

### **Course (chapters/subchapters)**

Practical guidance regarding the stages involved in planning and writing research papers

- Finding a topic
- Survey of the specialized literature
- Outline : relevance of the topic under study/research
- Stating personal findings and analysis of the findings
- Drawing conclusions
- Citing the research sources

Structuring the research paper:

- Informal research structure
- Formal reserarch structure

Selective sources for research paper writing

Research resources: print resources and electronic resources

Designing (creating) and presentation of posters

Oral presentation of the research /scientific paper: technical aspects, incorporating slides/visual material

Basic communication strategies. Oral communication versus written communication

Tutorial classes		
CV Europass		
Letter of motivation		
Topics for writing research/scientific papers		
Protecting a healthy food supply		
Food poisoning		
Advances in public alimentation services		
Types of tourism		
Ecotourism versus rural tourism		
Molecular gastronomy		
Types of diets		

### **Bibliography**

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Schimel, Joshua, Writing Science, USA, Oxford University Press, 2011

Rad, Ilie, Cum se scrie un text științific, Iași, Ed. Polirom, 2008

Wellington, J., J., Getting published: a guide for lecturers and researchers, Routledge Falmer, 2003

### **Evaluation**

Evaluation form	<b>Evaluation Methods</b>	Percentage of the final grade
Oral examination	Final oral Examination	30%
Appreciation of the activity during the semester	Ongoing evaluation (oral and written)	70%

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